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Status

- 1) Responsive to communication(s) filed on 09/11/07.
- 2a) This action is **FINAL**. 2b) This action is non-final.
- 3) Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) Claim(s) 1-35 is/are pending in the application.
 - 4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) Claim(s) 34 and 35 is/are allowed.
- 6) Claim(s) 1-5,7-15,17-24 and 26-33 is/are rejected.
- 7) Claim(s) 6,16 and 25 is/are objected to.
- 8) Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are: a) accepted or b) objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) All b) Some * c) None of:
 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

1) <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)	4) <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413)
2) <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)	Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____
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1. Claims 1-35 are presented for examination.
2. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. § 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –

(e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section 351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.

or

(e) the invention was described in a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention thereof by the applicant for patent, or on an international application by another who has fulfilled the requirements of paragraphs (1), (2), and (4) of section 371(c) of this title before the invention thereof by the applicant for patent.

The changes made to 35 U.S.C. 102(e) by the American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA) and the Intellectual Property and High Technology Technical Amendments Act of 2002 do not apply when the reference is a U.S. patent resulting directly or indirectly from an international application filed before November 29, 2000. Therefore, the prior art date of the reference is determined under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) prior to the amendment by the AIPA (pre-AIPA 35 U.S.C. 102(e)).

3. Claims 1-5, 7-15, 17-24, and 26-33 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Jorgenson, Pub. No. 2003/0105805.

4. As to claim 1, Jorgenson teaches the invention as claimed, including a method comprising:

storing, in a shared memory of a client, a scripting object that retains state information for an original document, the scripting object sending the state information to a server each time an action at the client changes the state information (Jorgenson, page 1, paragraphs [0010 – 0012]; page 8, paragraphs [0086 - 0089]. In addition, applicant admitted in the background of the invention that in client-server environments, state information in JS objects is sent to the server in response to each action that changes the state information. Pik, Pub. No. 2004/023096, page 1, paragraph [0003]); and

in response to a request to load a new document, cloning the stored scripting object to the new document (page 8 , paragraphs [0086 - 0089]; page 19, paragraph [0192]).

5. As to claim 2, Jorgenson teaches the original document comprises a loaded document, the request comprises a request to reload the loaded document, and the new document comprises the reloaded document (page 1, paragraph [0011]; page 8, paragraphs [0086 - 0089]).

6. As to claims 3-5 and 7-8, Jorgenson teaches storing the scripting object comprises, in response to the load request, copying a reference to the scripting object to the shared memory to cause retention of the scripting object by the client during

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document loading; cloning the stored scripting object to the new document comprises: creating a new scripting object in the new document; and copying data from the stored scripting object to the new scripting object; copying the reference to the scripting object to the shared memory comprises: selecting the shared memory based on the original document; and copying the reference to the scripting object to the selected shared memory; the request to load the new document comprises a client event triggered by a user; the state information retained in the scripting object comprises user navigation information associated with the original document, and the original document comprises a portal page in a portal system (page 1, paragraphs [0010 – 0012]; page 8, paragraphs [0086 - 0089]; page 19, paragraph [0192]).

7. As to claims 9-10, Jorgenson teaches in response to the request to load the new document, invoking a new browser instance to load the new document; cloning the stored scripting object to the new document comprises recursively cloning internal objects of the stored scripting object (page 8, paragraphs [0086 - 0089]; page 19, paragraph [0192]).

8. Claims 11-15, 17-24, and 26-33 have similar limitations as claims 1-5, 7-10; therefore, they are rejected under the same rationale.

9. Claims 6, 16, and 25 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

10. In the remarks, applicant argued in substance that

(A) Prior art does not teach , the scripting object sending the state information to a server each time an action at the client changes the state information.

As to point (A), Jorgenson teaches client sends HTTP cookie within each subsequent HTTP request to a server (page 1, paragraphs [0010 – 0012]; page 8, paragraphs [0086 - 0089]). In addition, applicant admitted in the background of the invention that in client-server environments, state information in JS objects is sent to the server in response to each action that changes the state information (Pik, Pub. No. 2004/023096, page 1, paragraph [0003]).

11. Applicant's arguments filed on 09/11/07 have been fully considered but they are not deemed to be persuasive.

12. THIS ACTION IS MADE FINAL. Applicant is reminded of the extension of time policy as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

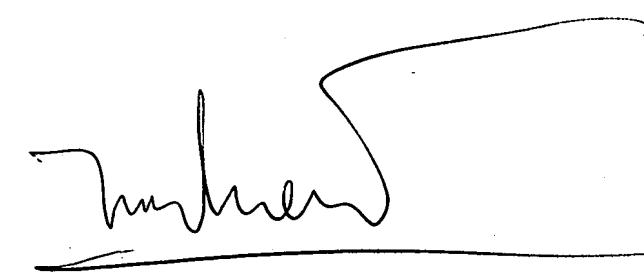
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13. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Le H. Luu whose telephone number is 571-272-3884. The examiner can normally be reached on 7:00am - 4:30pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Rupal Dharia can be reached on 571-272-3880. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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